IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : J. Richard Aylward Art Unit : 2615 Serial No. : 09/753,167 Examiner : Xu Mei Filed : January 2, 2001 Conf. No. : 9696

Title : ELECTROACOUSTIC WAVEGUIDE TRANSDUCING

Mail Stop Amendment

Hon. Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE F

Dear Commissioner:

Responsive to the office action dated November 15, 2006, reconsideration is respectfully requested in the light of the following identified authorities and remarks.